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TO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS: EAGR, ETRD

SUBJECT: WHEAT NEGOTIATIONS

REF; LONDON 555

FOR DEPUTY ASST SECRETARY BOSWORTH FROM FERCH

1. GIVEN WHAT EC BELIEVES TO BE CONTENTIOUS OUTCOME OF
RECENT IWC MEETING, SUGGEST YOU NOT RPT NOT THE INITIATIVE
TO RAISE QUESTION OF EC OR US POSITIONS. EC OFFICIALS,
HOWEVER, MAY RAISE COMPLAINTS WITH YOU THAT OUTCOME OF
JAN 10-11 IWC SESSION VIOLATED US-EC UNDERSTANDING THAT
GENEVA NEGOTIATING CONFERENCE WOULD COVER COARSE GRAINS AS
WELL AS WHEAT. DRAWING FROM REFTEL, YOU SHOULD REPLY THAT
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US POSITION AT IWC SESSION WAS FULLY CONSISTENT WITH US-EC
UNDERSTANDING THAT WE WERE READY TO DISCUSS AND HEAR EC
PROPOSALS ON COARSE GRAINS BUT THAT THIS DID NOT IMPLY ANY
PREJUDGMENT THAT DISCUSSIONS WOULD RESULT IN AN AGREEMENT
ON COARSE GRAINS. MOREOVER, LANGUAGE OF FINAL IWC RESOLU-
TION DOES NOT PREJUDICE POSSIBLE OUTCOME FOR ALL GRAINS.

2. YOU SHOULD ALSO BE AWARE THAT USDEL AT IWC SESSION
FORMALLY PROTESTED TO EC DEL DISTRIBUTION OF TEXT OF US-EC

UNDERSTANDING TO SOME IWC MEMBERS. EC COMMISSION REPS
INITIALLY DENIED GIVING OUT TEXT, THEN LATER BLAMED DISTRI-
BUTION ON MEMBER COUNTRY REPS. CHRISTOPHER

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Message Attributes

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